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## BIGGEST AND BEST.

The circulation of the Post-Dispatch, daily and Sunday, is the largest of any St. Louis newspaper, and its CITY CIRCULATION is 50 PER CENT greater than that of any competitor.

Last week the Net circulation of the Post-Dispatch was as follows:

Monday, May 6	80,974
Tuesday, May 7	80,976
Wednesday, May 8	80,710
Thursday, May 9	81,401
Friday, May 10	81,387
Saturday, May 11	80,478
Sunday, May 12	80,784
Total	566,410
Average per day	80,916

## THE REAL SOUND MONEY ISSUE.

The core of the real sound money issue was struck by the Executive Committee of the California Silver League in its protest against the Sibley-Warner campaign for Sibley and his new party.

The committee was right in denouncing the attempt of the Warner crowd to force a caucus nominee on the voters of the country and in repudiating the platform of the Sibley-Warner clique. It was right in declaring that the issue is not confined to the unlimited coinage of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1, but embraces opposition to government partnership with banks in the control of the currency.

The governing committee of the Bank of France and the Bank of England estimate the amount of gold coin in the world at \$30,000,000,000. It is estimated that the Reichsbank of Berlin, the Rothschilds of Berlin, Hamburg and Paris, the Bank of England and the Bank of France and the other bankers of London and New York control \$30,000,000,000 of this total of \$30,000,000,000. In other words, these banks and bankers have a corner on the gold money of the world. By having the issue of credit currency on gold, the supply of which is thus controlled, the bankers can inflate or contract the currency and corner the money market at will.

The real fight is not for silver coinage alone, but for hard money, with paper currency representing gold and silver dollars and both coin and paper controlled by the Government. There can be no permanent property for the people and no protection against the greed of money sharks until the system of corporation credit currency based upon cornered gold is abolished.

## THE HANNIBAL & ST. JOSEPH.

The construction of the Hannibal & St. Joseph Railroad was involved in many scandals, not the least of which was that the State eventually yielded for a song its entire interest in the line. Probably no road in Missouri came nearer being built by State appropriation than did this Hannibal & St. Joseph, and its estimated cost, as shown in the report of the Board of Railroad Commissioners for 1933, was \$80,953 a mile.

Surely that was enough for the people of Missouri to donate for all time to come. But the road has never paid its proportion of taxes and has been steadily permitted to pay less than that required from owners of farm lands and other property.

Last year the State Board of Equalization valued the Hannibal & St. Joseph Railroad for assessment purposes at \$15,792 a mile, or about one-fifth of its actual value as reported by the company itself to the State Board of Railroad Commissioners.

There is no apparent reason why railroad property in Missouri should be assessed at one-fifth its actual value while other property is valued at one-third, thus allowing the railroads to escape nearly one-half the burdens placed upon other far less able to pay.

The Post-Dispatch does not believe that this sort of thing will be longer tolerated in Missouri. The time has come when the railroads—which now dictate and control State legislation of all kinds, whether affecting them directly or not—should be compelled to fulfill their duties to the State government equally with other property owners.

## GETTING FROM UNDER COVER.

Another Presidential cuckoo has chirped in response to the call from the White House. Congressmen Eymour and Indiana follow in the footsteps of Secretary Morton and announce himself unqualifiedly in favor of the single gold standard.

party. It is most desirable that the vague platitudes of the President's Chicago letter should be clearly interpreted so that the people will know exactly where Mr. Cleveland and his adherents stand and what they are aiming at.

The more accurately the issue is defined the better for the people. They cannot then be deceived by specious compromises and artful straddles by which gold monometallism is disguised under an alias.

Let it be thoroughly understood, as these frank adherents of the President are trying to make it understood, that the so-called international bimetalists are gold monometallists and that all who oppose the free and equal coinage of gold and silver are bound to the chariot wheels of the gold cornerers.

The growth of the circulation of the Post-Dispatch during the last four months has been so unprecedented as to test the mechanical facilities of the office to the utmost. In order that these facilities may be increased to meet the growing demand, the cellar of the building next door has been rented, and one of Hoe's finest and fastest presses will be placed in position as soon as it can be shipped and set up.

## THE FIGHT IS JUST BEGUN.

No portion of Senator Baskett's strong speech on the Fellow-servant bill was more significant than that in which he warned his fellow Senators that the fight against Lobby control of legislation is but just begun, and that no man who fails to define his position clearly on the right side will be sent back to Jefferson City.

This is emphatically true. The Fellow-servant bill may be defeated at the extra session. Present indications are that it will be. But that is not even the beginning of the end. The fight will be transferred from the Legislature to the constituencies. No matter what national issue may be paramount next year, a vital question that will come home to the interest and the pride of the voters of Missouri will be whether the Lobby or the people shall control legislation at Jefferson City.

That question will not down until it is settled and settled right. It will be an issue in every election until the right of the people to control is unquestioned and unchallenged. The Missouri Pacific, with its political attorneys selected from both parties, has got to call off its lobby and keep out of political conventions. If it will draw out voluntarily, it will be clubbed out.

Senator Baskett is right in saying that no tool of the Lobby in this Legislature will be sent back to another. The people will not be allowed to forget. Newspaper files have long memories, and printer's ink is a potent reminder.

## A CLOWN OF FINANCE.

When Dr. Johnson was asked by a lady acquaintance why in his dictionary he had defined terms as the knees of a horse, he replied, "Ignorance, madam, sheer ignorance."

This is the only explanation that can be offered for the clownish notion of Congressman Coombs of New York about the dense stupidity of the American farmers on the money question, which he has set himself the task of removing.

His repetition of the negro minstrel story concerning the two "intelligent Kentucky farmers" who thought free coinage meant a distribution among the people of the silver in the Treasury, shows that he is far more ignorant of the farmers than the farmers are of the money question.

If instead of gobbling down with open mouthed wonder all the opera bouffe stories about granger ignorance which delight metropolitan theatrical audiences, Congressman Coombs would get out of the thick atmosphere of self-satisfied dogmatism which envelops New York as a cloud and would mingle with the farmers of Kentucky, Missouri, Illinois, or any other Western or Southern State, he would find to his astonishment that many of them could teach him the a b c of some public questions, among them possibly the money question.

The farmers of this country know a great deal more than the city clowns think they do. The mass of them spend their leisure time in reading or discussion. Within their limitations their knowledge is accurate and their thinking clear. As a rule they are well grounded in the sound principles of Democratic government which underlie all public questions.

An analysis of the idea of Congressman Coombs and other provincials who look down with contempt on the knowledge of the farmers would probably discover that they think them ignorant simply because they differ in opinion from themselves. As a matter of fact the most amusing clowns of finance are often found in the cities.

## THE ARMENIAN CRIMES.

In a careful review of the Armenian question Robert Stein, who has given the subject zealous study, concludes that the only relief for Armenia's miseries lies in the appointment of a Christian Governor. He shows from the history of Turkish rule not alone in Armenia but in Greece, Roumania, Serbia, Bulgaria and every other Christian country over which Turkey has exercised sovereignty, that under Turkish officials pillage, outrage and murder have prevailed.

Mr. Stein's conclusion is indorsed by the European commissioners who are charged with the investigation of the Sassoon atrocities. The inquiry has resulted in a verdict of guilty and a recommendation of thorough reforms beginning with the appointment of a Christian Governor.

ference of civilized nations to check such crimes. But Turkey is the dependent of the powers of Europe, which have given pledges for its good behavior and maintain its sovereignty. So much the greater, therefore, is Europe's responsibility for Turkish brutality.

To paraphrase Victor Hugo, the cutting of the throats of thousands of people in the East is no longer a question; it is a crime.

The vote for and against the Lobby in the State Senate on Tuesday was printed in yesterday's Post-Dispatch, but it is so important that the people should be impressed with it that we publish it again to-day. The vote was on the Fellow-servant bill, and this is the way the Senators aligned themselves:

For the Lobby: Amalung (R.), Bledsoe (D.), Brewster (R.), Davison (R.), Drumm (D.), Goodykoontz (D.), Gray (R.), Harrison (D.), Lancaster (D.), Landrum (D.), Morton (D.), Orchard (D.), Peers (D.), Seaber (R.), Tunnell (R.), Wurdeman (R.)—16.

Against the Lobby: Ballard (D.), Baskett (D.), Busche (R.), Dunn (D.), Gask (D.), Kennish (R.), Kline (R.), McClintic (D.), Madison (D.), O'Bannon (R.), Powers (R.), Walker (D.), Williams (R. and R.), Yeater—14.

Absent: Mott (R.), Lyman (D.)

Dodged—Love (D.)

When John Lindsay resigned the office of Chief of the Fire Department yesterday to his successor, Mr. Swingley, he rounded out a term of twenty-eight years of honorable service. During his chiefship the efficiency of the department has been maintained at a high standard and there has been constant improvement in methods and appliances. His administration was marked by faithful work and some notable achievements. It will be recalled that in the seventy-two hours of fire fighting in extreme cold weather when the St. Nicholas Hotel burned Lindsay was the only man who did not succumb to the strain.

George Gould in the Senate, jangling golden eagles in his pocket and giving the chamber an air of boundless wealth, so to speak, would scarcely be remembered as the oppressed and fleeing taxpayer—or rather non-taxpayer—who sought refuge in the foreign clime of New Jersey.

The cracking of the skulls of two cyclists who collided at a high rate of speed is another warning of the folly of bicycle jockeying. When cyclists make good catches of their heads and run at express train speed they cannot expect to come out of collisions with undamaged skulls.

A good many of the increased Canadian imports to this country are materials that give the American saw mills something to do and which enable the American farmer to build his barns and houses. Whenever we annex Canada we shall have complete free trade with her.

The Missouri undertakers are not yet styling themselves morticians, as do their brethren in other States, but the convention at Kansas City may possibly consider the new name, as it seems to yet closer to their friends the physicians.

Senator Peels need not have so publicly and ostentatiously unbentoned his collar. There has been a suspicion all along that he wore one, but it was also along that he wore a hickory shirt. The Senator is dispelling some illusions these days.

Before Don Dickinson further advocated a standing army, let him consider how readily the Supreme Court knocks out income tax laws. We can now scarcely get enough money to pay our veterans who were mustered out in 1918.

As the Rothschild syndicate has parted with all its gold bonds at a big profit perhaps it might be induced to take a general issue. A syndicate that has worked the Government so thoroughly once might be persuaded to try again.

The people of Illinois are said to be aroused because the corporations have been at Springfield demanding legislation. And the people of Missouri should be aroused to what has been going on in our own Jefferson City.

The three bottles picked up near Thomas Reed's residence in Portland may have contained nothing more than the beverage of Maine, which is productive of lingering death rather than sudden removals.

Gov. McKinley is making his appointments in Ohio county for himself. The practice he is now getting he may imagine will be useful to him in case he should get a first Presidential term and want a second.

The best bargains are advertised in the Post-Dispatch, which itself is always to be had at a bargain. This is one of the reasons why the ladies of St. Louis prefer the Post-Dispatch to any other newspaper.

Being left at home is not the worst that comes to the legislator who allows himself to become a tool of the Lobby. There is forever after a stain upon his name that nothing can remove.

Every legislative tool of the railroads should be forever retired at the next election. There can be no mistake as to the men who have sold themselves and betrayed their constituents.

The Administration should have endeavored to keep the new deficit budget at \$50,000,000, because those are the figures of the deficit that marked the close of Harrison's term.

## A Forgotten Fact.

From the Hamilton Farmers' Advocate.  
The poor old St. Louis Republic thinks the sudden restoration of silver would raise prices to a great head. He evidently forgot to take into consideration the fact that when silver was demonetized, it didn't take prices long to drop, and several millions of people dropped out of employment at the same time.

## WELL-KNOWN ST. LOUISANS.



Dr. Francis L. Haydel.

Dr. Francis L. Haydel is one of the few persons who have made a success in both professional and business life. He was born in St. James Parish, Louisiana, in 1882. He graduated from St. Francis Xavier's College, Cincinnati, and studied medicine at the St. Louis University Medical College. He was Dispensary physician for a time and then went back to Louisiana, where he built up a lucrative practice. He married a daughter of John Byrne, Jr., of this city and joined his father-in-law in managing an extensive real estate business. Dr. Haydel is a Southern gentleman by birth and instincts and entertains with ante-bellum hospitality in his magnificent home on Virginia avenue.

## MEN OF MARK.

The Prince of Wales has accepted the chancellorship of the newly formed Welsh university.

One of the members of Gov. Morton's staff girds on a \$4,000 sword when he is in full dress uniform.

News from Algiers tell of the serious illness of St. Frederick Leighton, the eminent artist who is presently residing at the English Royal Academy.

Andreas Hattas, the last veteran of the Greek wars of liberty of 1812, died in Athens lately at the age of 115. One of the streets in Athens is named after him.

Prof. Everett Hale, Jr., son of the author and preacher, has resigned the chair of English in the University of Iowa, and will accept the chair of rhetoric and logic at Union College.

Dr. R. H. Babcock, a professor in the college of Physicians and Surgeons at Chicago, though totally blind from birth, has won many honors and is in demand as one of the most successful practitioners in diseases of the chest.

The picture painted by Emperor William of Germany, now on exhibition at the Berlin Academy, has for its subject a naval battle. Romulids are in action firing their huge guns at short range. Torpedo boats are recklessly darting in and out of the thick of the fight. The sea is rough. Overhead the sky is obscured by a pall of black smoke. This imperial painter is said to have cleverly done his work.

## WOMEN OF NOTE.

Mrs. Ella Wheeler Wilcox owns a white Persian cat which she paid \$400 for and would not sell it at any price.

The Daughters of the Confederacy at Houston, Tex., have named their chapter Mildred Lee, after the daughter of Gen. Robert E. Lee.

Miss Rose Cleveland, sister of the President, is gray-haired and has a pleasant face. She is rather stout, but her taste in dress is excellent and she is invariably attired according to the latest fashions.

Mrs. Fred is the only one of the Vanderbilt matrons that has no children, and she spends much time in long voyages with her husband. She is very kind and charitable, enjoying very handsomely, and is a general favorite. She is a member of a circle of King's Daughters.

## THE HOSSIFIED MAN.



SMALL JOLLITIES.

"Ah," said the magazine reader, contemplating his friend's new baby. "Fine child. Is it a Napoleon or a Trilby?" Cincinnati Tribune.

"I want my wife to be a woman who thinks before she speaks," Plunkett. "Why don't you say you are a confirmed bachelor?"—Detroit Free Press.

New Woman: "Well, I married the only man who ever told me he loved me!" Old Woman: "Why did you do that?" New Woman: "Because I thought he ought to be converted."—Waterbury.

She: "It must have been an awful storm to blow away the lightning." Cholly: "Marble, my dear! But it could only have been a lightning bolt because there was a lightning rod in such an exposed place."—Tid-Bits.

Hobson: "Hal had burglars got into our house last night. Hal had hal hal Hobson." "What's so funny about that?" Don't say anything." Hobson: "Yes! Hal had hal hal Hobson's learning to play the trombone—hal hal and they stole—hal hal hal Hobson."—Philadelphia Record.

## TRIES IT ONCE MORE.

### Old Probs Again Promises Warmer Weather for Sufferers.

This is the last day of this chilly weather. If Weather Predictor Frankenkendel is on the right track. He says it will get warmer Friday and by Saturday summer will have reinstated itself. He says this "tip" is a "sure thing" and offers to open a "book" to prove it.

The people who backed Dr. Frankenkendel's predictions Wednesday and were their summer clothing will have cause to remember him. His deputy was kept busy all day answering telephone calls and making explanations.

"You see, it was just like this," said he to a Post-Dispatch reporter. "I rushed just a little with my word and looked the warm weather twenty-four hours too soon. One cannot always hit the exact time. It is a trial and error of these things. It is almost as hard as timing one of the numerous St. Louis suburban trains."

He got everything fixed to-day. The weather will grow gradually warmer and by Saturday everyone will be given an opportunity to wear their midsummer clothing.

Dr. Frankenkendel keeps a daily watch on Chicago. He says the minimum in the day when the thermometer is at its lowest is 60 degrees. There was a sudden disappearance of over-clothing and air constantly until it melts. There was a sudden disappearance of over-clothing and air constantly until it melts. There was a sudden disappearance of over-clothing and air constantly until it melts.

## WEATHER AND CROPS.

### Killing Frosts in Michigan, Wisconsin and North Dakota.

The Weather Bureau reports that the storm which swept central yesterday west of the Mississippi River has lost much of its energy and has moved southeastward, now covering the States of Louisiana and Mississippi. It has been attended by rain in Louisiana, Nebraska, Colorado and the States extending from Minnesota to Louisiana and Southern Illinois and Indiana.

Killing frosts occurred this morning in Michigan, Wisconsin, North Dakota and Montana. It is snowing in Denver to-day.

For St. Louis and vicinity—Fair and slightly warmer Thursday night and Friday. For Saturday fair and warmer weather is probable.

Missouri—Fair to-night, except showers in extreme southern portion. Friday fair; stationary temperature.

Illinois—To-night; Friday fair and warmer; Northeast winds, becoming northerly.

COULTEVILLE, Ill., May 15.—Have had soaking rain; will be a great benefit to wheat and oats; no damage to either by frost; corn nipped, but will recover considerable damage to potatoes and garden vegetables.

WISCONSIN, May 15.—A heavy wet snow is falling in this vicinity to-day, which has caused much damage to the crops. The snow is falling in this vicinity to-day, which has caused much damage to the crops.

GALESBURG, Ill., May 15.—Another hard frost prevailed in Knox County this morning, the damage of Monday night. Ice was formed. Many farmers are planting corn.

## BOY KIDNAPPED.

### Another Case of Child Stealing Reported in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 15.—Reginald Scott, the 2-year-old son of James Scott, a stone-cutter, who lives at 516 Drexel avenue, was kidnapped last night while playing in front of his home by a man thought to be Henry Manning, who kidnapped two children in South Chicago a short time ago. The boy was induced to go with the man and the two were seen to board a cable car in Englewood. The police have found no trace of the boy. Manning was committed to the detention hospital by Justice Robbins when arrested for kidnapping the South Chicago children, but was released from that place after an examination.

## STATE UNIVERSITY.

### Programme of Dedication and Commencement Exercises.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.  
COLUMBIA, Mo., May 15.—The dedication of Academic Hall and the new department buildings, together with the commencement exercises of the State University, will take place here June 2 to 5, inclusive. This is the programme of the day.

June 1—8 p. m., Stephens medal contest.  
June 2—11 a. m., Baccalaureate sermon, Rt. Rev. J. H. Thompson, D. D., Bishop of Missouri.  
June 3—11 a. m., Commencement exercises, law class; 8 p. m., address before alumni, John H. Duncan, M. D., St. Louis.

June 4—10 a. m., dedication of buildings; address by James B. Angell, LL. D., President University of Michigan; 3 p. m., address before University, Rt. Rev. John J. Keane, D. D., Washington, D. C., rector Catholic University.

June 5—10 a. m., commencement exercises.

## BRIBERY CHARGES FAIL.

### New York Senators Exonerated by the Adoption of Committee Report.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 15.—The Senate has adopted the report exonerating Senators from charges of bribery in connection with the New York City firemen's salary bill.

## MADE HER HIS HOUSEKEEPER.

### Story of a Stenographer, a Contractor and a Deed of Trust.

Waiter A. O'Neil, a clerk at the Simmons Hardware Co. and son of Thomas O'Neil, a wealthy contractor and builder, swore out a warrant against Miss Minnie E. Easton for obtaining money under false pretenses.

It is alleged that Miss Easton was first the elder O'Neil's stenographer and afterwards became his housekeeper. She first met him on Locust street and afterwards at 209 Olive street. When Thomas O'Neil left for California he decided to leave some property at 602 Page avenue. For this property Easton had all the necessary documents, and she borrowed money on it to the extent of \$5,000 through her attorney, Thomas E. Hays.

When young O'Neil was asked why she was being prosecuted he said it was a matter of the law. He acknowledged that the property on Page avenue on which Miss Easton had borrowed money was his. O'Neil is now on his way back from California and will prosecute the case.

## ELOPES—HARD LOT.

### Telegrams From Jokers Keep Them From Obtaining the License.

The married life of Albert P. Kellogg and Miss Mattie L. Carey should be long and happy, for getting married is not easy work with them. Bride and groom belong to highly respected families of De Soto, Mo. The bride is an object of veneration to more than one man, and when it was learned that the couple had gone to Elliptical to be married, the people at large knew that the practical jokers which prevented marriage at that place and about a dozen other through carelessness that they applied for a license to wed. They almost despaired of success, when a telegram from the clerk of Jefferson County advised them at St. Louis, that he had investigated the matter and would issue a license, if they would return. They did, obtained a license at Hillsboro, and were at last united by Dr. Chapell at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. George Dorman, at 211 California avenue. They returned to De Soto by the 9:30 train Wednesday.



## A Hint From the Olden Days.

Skirts in the early part of the century were thrust through side seams or placket holes. Here is an application to modern dress of the old housewife of years gone by.



## Milinery Decorations Large.

A special feature of new millinery is that the blossoms and foliage used for decoration are extremely large, many of the huge leaves that extend at right angles to the sides of the hat or bonnet being shaped like those of the begonia. Flaring wing effects are still a dominant characteristic of spring and summer millinery. These are made to equalize in a degree the broad effect of the shoulders. This style of trimming is, however, far more becoming to the faces of slender women than to either round or oval countenances.

## For the Sentimental Bachelor.

One of the many ways of utilizing old gloves is by making them into pen-packs, and therein the smallest bit of the old may be used. Fill a round, small forerunner, with scraps of worn-out gloves, cutting them into as tiny bits as possible. Now glue into a circular mat of light-colored paper, strings of the kid cut into a fringe. It will be found that the pen will be nicely cleaned off wiping it on the fringed surface, and the whole is quite an ornamental addition to one's desk.

## THE DOCTOR'S ADVICE.

Kindly suggest a remedy for an occasional attack of insomnia due to nervousness.

Supplinal is a very good remedy. Take at bedtime and repeat the dose in an hour or two if necessary.

I am troubled with habitual constipation. Will you please state a good remedy?

Get some pills of aloin, erythrine and another in the morning if necessary.

Kindly tell me it is advisable to keep the window of a sleeping-room open at night?

Yes.

I am troubled with indigestion. It comes on about two or three hours after eating. I have tried soda, mint and other preparations without relief. Please suggest a remedy.

Get some tablets of pepsin and pancreatine, each tablet containing two grains of the former and three grains of the latter, and take one after each meal. Structure of the stomach may also prove of benefit. Take five drops in water before each meal.

My scalp is scaly and covered with dandruff. Will you please advise a remedy? Shampoo your scalp several times a week with green soap and tepid water.

Kindly give a remedy for rheumatism affecting the feet. They sometimes swell. You will probably find a good remedy in salicylate of soda. Take ten grains in water every three hours.

Please tell me what to do for prickly heat. My little boy always suffers when the warm weather comes. The structure of his skin is very sensitive. Please suggest a remedy.

Give him a soda bath, and use carbolic tincture as a dusting powder.

Kindly give me a prescription for a lotion for pimples.

A lotion composed of two drams of iodo sulphur, one dram of spirit of camphor, one-half ounce of glycerine and four ounces of rose water may be used with good effect. Rub the face with the water at night, dry thoroughly and apply the lotion, leaving it on all night.

## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

### "Sound Money" in Texas.

To the Editor of The Post-Dispatch.  
I noticed in the Republic a glowing account of the recent so-called honest money Democratic meeting at Waco, and was very glad to see that the issue had been brought up. It is a pity that the issue has not been brought up in Texas.

It starts out by saying that this meeting was well attended by representatives from all over the State when the truth is that there were only five towns in the State that had any representation in that meeting, and that the meeting was a failure.



# REMNANTS

A Sale Extraordinary for Friday,  
Embracing Every Short Length and  
Every Odd Piece in the House.

## ASTOUNDING PRICES!

### REMNANTS.

In the Basement.

The Prices Do Their Own Talking.

Remnants of best quality full standard colored Lining Cambric, worth 50c a yard, at..... **1c**  
Sample pieces of Dark-colored CASSIMERES, about 1/2 of a yard in a piece, each..... **2c**  
Remnants of best quality medium dark-colored FULL STANDARD DRESS PRINTS, worth 75c a yard, at..... **3c**  
Remnants of good quality blue and white 20-inch LAWN, worth 10c a yard, at..... **3c**  
A large lot of small sample pieces of all kinds of FANCY SILKS, suitable for all kinds of fancy work, put up in bunches, per bunch..... **5c**  
Remnants of finest quality French Printed and Solid COLORED CREPE DE VENISE, in all the leading shades, worth 15c a yard, at..... **6c**  
Remnants of the very popular JACONET DUCHESSE, in a full line of colors, worth 12 1/2c a yard, at..... **7c**  
Remnants of solid colored and fancy printed DARK AND LIGHT PIQUES, the best wash fabric in the market, worth 10c a yard, at..... **8c**  
Remnants of heavy quality STRIPED and CHECKED COTTONADES, suitable for boys' and men's clothing, worth 25c a yard, at..... **10c**  
Remnants of the well-known New York Mills 2-4-6 ELASTIC SEBETINE, in lengths from 1 1/2 to 6 yards each—worth 25c yd., at..... **13c**  
**REMNANTS of Chenille Tapestry.**  
Almost Given Away.  
A great lot of Manufacturers' Sample Ends of fine Chenille and Tapestry—in varying lengths—large enough for Pillows, Ties, Lambrequins, etc.—on sale Friday (second floor) per piece..... **10c**

### SILK REMNANTS.

Dress Lengths Plain and Fancy Silks,  
Skirt Lengths Satin Duchesse,  
Waist Lengths Tulle, etc., etc.

Selling prices have been 40c up to \$1.50 a yard.

The remnants will be priced at a yard..... **19c to 65c**

Remnants of Silk for Fancy Work.

About 1000 Silk Remnants of all sorts and sizes, ranging from 1/4 to 1-yard lengths—embracing some of the loveliest Silks ever produced—and a perfect bonanza for Fancy Work makers—piece prices would be up to \$1.50 a yard.

Friday choice of pieces..... **10c**

Remnants of Wool Dress Goods.

Hundreds of Wool Skirt Lengths that were \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Hundreds more that were 50c and 75c a yard—..... **25c**

Remnants of Laces, Embroideries, Flouncings, Veilings, etc.

Find these on two tables in Lace Alley not a piece among these worth less than the price asked—and some five times as much—

1c a yard and up.

Remnants of White Goods.

1 case of 18-inch fast edge Checked GLASS TOWELING, absolutely fast colors, worth 7 1/2c a yard, at..... **3c**

Remnants of good quality French Printed and Solid COLORED WHITE NAINSOOK, worth 12 1/2c yd., at..... **5c**

Remnants of good quality French Printed and Solid COLORED WHITE NAINSOOK, worth 12 1/2c yd., at..... **5c**

30 dozen good, heavy quality TURKISH BATH TOWELS, size 20x40—worth 15c each, at..... **7c**

18-inch extra heavy quality half-bleached all-linen TABLE DAMASK, well worth 45c a yard, at..... **29c**

### KID GLOVES.

Choice of a Special Lot of Ladies' Imported French 4 pearl button Kid Gloves—tall and gray only—and sizes somewhat broken—in full line of colors and sizes, price would be 75c a pair, Friday at..... **39c**

### HOSIERY.

Ladies' Extra Fine Imported Fast Black Hose—full regular made—with high spliced heels and double toes—plain and drop stitch—regular 50c quality, Friday at..... **29c**

### TALK ABOUT BARGAINS!

Look at These.

From 8 to 11 O'Clock Friday Ladies' Good Muslin Drawers with yoke bands, cluster of tucks and wide hems—worth 25c a pair (limited to 3 pairs to a customer)—Friday at..... **15c**

As Long as They Last. Misses' White Lawn Aprons (slightly soiled and mused), with tucks and wide hems, regular value 15c each—Friday 5c choice for more than 2 to a customer.

### EVERLASTING TRIMMING.

500 pieces Everlasting Trimming, in a variety of widths—worth 3 times the price, per yard..... **2c**

### Another chance at the WINDOW SHADES.

Friday we will offer another lot of those good quality shades—mounted on best Spring Rollers—same as sold everywhere at 35c each, at..... **19c**

### HANDKERCHIEFS.

A Great Lot of Ladies' Handkerchiefs—all sorts—colored, worth 8c each—choice..... **3c**

Ladies' Very Sheer Embroidered Applique Handkerchiefs with lace edges and lace inserting—an unusual bargain—worth 25c each—at..... **10c**

# GRAND LEADER

815-821 N. BROADWAY

—STIX, BAER & FULLER—

THE FASTEST-GROWING STORE IN AMERICA.



Imported Novelty Capes of fine Kersey, elaborately embroidered with braid, full circular cut, like cut; worth \$5; Friday at..... **\$4 48**

Double Capes of extra fine Cloth—good length—ornamented with many rows of braid; price was \$6.50; Now..... **\$3 48**

### NOTION BARGAINS.

500-meter Basting cotton, per spool..... **1c**

25 Good Envelopes, worth 3c, for..... **3c**

Washable Ivory Buttons—all colors; worth 7c a dozen..... **3c**

300-yard Spools..... **5c**

Good Brass Pins (assorted sizes, regular 5c sort), 2 papers for..... **5c**

100-yard Spools..... **5c**

5,000 3/4-yard lengths Garter Web—plain and fancy, worth 12 1/2c a length; Friday at..... **7c**

Tinsel Stitched Whalebone Casings—each worth 10c per piece, at..... **10c**

300-yard spools Black and Colored Silk (worth 10c each)..... **10c**

### ODD LACE CURTAINS.

Here's another Curtain Wailwind! 700 odd Lace Curtains (many pairs among them), in beautiful French Gimpures, Brussels Net and Scotch—3 1/2 yards long and up to 60 inches wide—sold regularly in pairs prices would range up to \$3.50 a pair; Choice Friday, per curtain..... **69c**

### FREE

A pretty Sterling Silver Butterfly Veil Clasp, worth 15c, GIVEN FREE with every Veil at 25c or more Friday.

Our Special Offerings in Veilings Friday embrace all the very latest and most attractive effects in single and double widths, worth up to 40c; Choice of all..... **25c**

A big lot of Veilings in Chenille Dots and Tuxedos—very nice goods—worth 15c and 20c a yard; Friday at..... **8c**

### Friday Bargains in WASH SILKS.

30 pieces finest quality Real Swivel Silks in all the leading shades—the regular 95c grade, and guaranteed to launder perfectly; Friday at..... **29c**

30 pieces Checked Taffeta and Corded Wash Silks—all new and desirable patterns—reduced from 50c to..... **35c**

### DRESS FABRICS.

As Long as They Last. 30 pieces Organdies—dark grounds with pretty floral designs—the greatest snap of the season—worth 35c a yard; Friday at..... **9c**

Choice of our entire line of 46-inch All-Wool Crepons—in lovely colors—were \$1 and \$1.50 a yard; Friday at..... **49c**

### MILLINERY.

Hats Trimmed FREE OF CHARGE.

We trim your Hat Absolutely Free of Charge when you buy hat and material of us.

Special Reductions for Friday and Saturday In..... **4c**

FORGET-ME-NOTS..... **4c**

CLEMATIS Silk, red, white, pink, purple, black..... **19c**

ROSES, silk, pink, red and blue..... **14c**

HYACINTHS, red, white, cream, pink..... **24c**

Our Entire Stock of Ladies' and Children's Trimmed Spring Hats and Bonnets at..... **HALF PRICE.**

Finest Assortment of Trimmed Leghorn Hats at Lowest Prices.

These "W. B." Corsets and the "S. & C." and "C. B."—all DOLLAR CORSETS—perfect in fit—long waited—sizes from 22 up; Friday at..... **59c**

EXTRA LONG WAIST

### A Friday Sale of MATTINGS.

If we don't sell more Matting Than any store in town this week it won't be the fault of the prices.

100 rolls Jointless Straw Matting in quiet general patterns—same as sells everywhere at 15c a yard; Friday at..... **10c**

100 rolls Jointless Matting in beautiful high-class inlaid designs—regular 35c sort everywhere; Friday at..... **15c**

### PERFUMERY Bargains.

Friday we will sell a fancy Sprinkler-top Bottle containing 1 1/2 ounces of the beautiful "Nocle" Perfumery, worth 25c, for..... **10c**

FREE—With every bottle of above a pretty 8x11 Engraving goes free.

Mme. Yale's Toilet Preparations at Cut Prices Every Day.

### Friday and Saturday's GROCERY BARGAINS.

10c lb Best Sal Soda..... Worth 30c

4 1/2c lb Choice Head Rice..... Worth 7c

7c lb Best Ginger Snaps..... Worth 10c

9c lb Finest Whole Pepper..... Worth 25c

10c lb Best Breakfast Bacon..... Worth 15c

12c can Extra French Peas..... Worth 20c

13c can Extra Pineapples..... Worth 20c

15c can Lusk Extra Peaches..... Worth 20c

20c lb Finest Creamery Butter..... Worth 25c

25c lb Choice Coffee..... Worth 40c

32c lb G. L. Mocha and Java Coffee..... Worth 50c

35c 1-lb cans Price Baking Powder..... Worth 50c

45c lb Fancy Tea..... Worth 50c

### NO TREASON IN CAROLINA.

Gov. Evans Says the State Fights for Local Self-Government.

NEW YORK, May 15.—The World has received the following from Gov. Evans of South Carolina:

"There is no treason in South Carolina. We are in the line of duty to stay. We claim the right as a sovereign State to protect against any effort by the judges of the United States to centralize this State and destroy our State constitution.

"We will obey the decrees of the court, but will exercise every right guaranteed American citizens for the preservation of our liberties. The pretense we are fighting for the right of local self-government, is as dear to New York as it is to South Carolina, and cannot be destroyed without immediately being destroyed in the Union.

The attempt to nullify our laws for political purposes under the pretense of conformity with the constitution of the United States arouses the righteous indignation of our entire people. We confidently rely upon the United States Supreme Court and will abide by its decision.

"We redeemed our State from negro domination and anarchy in 1876, in spite of Grant's bayonet-restoring order, peace and prosperity, and will preserve our civilization by lawful methods if allowed; and we will preserve it." (Signed)

"JOHN GARY EVANS, Governor."

Half Rate!

May 21 and June 11 the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway Co. will sell tickets at one fare for the round trip to points in Texas, Lake Charles, La., Eddy and Roswell, N. M.; tickets good returning twenty days from date of sale. For further information call at 108 N. Broadway, St. Louis, Mo.

### The Actor Tramp Insane.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 15.—John Garvey, the tramp who won fame as the vagrant who went to sleep in an Astor bed, was brought into court yesterday and formally declared insane. He will be taken to Matteawan Asylum at once. He has been in jail ever since his famous Fifth avenue nap.

### The Wealthiest Man in Missouri.

Ough to know, as well as everybody else, that the Globe, n. w. cor. Franklin avenue and Seventh street, sells \$3 and \$4 men's pants for \$1.50 and \$2.35. The finest Baltimore tailor-made at \$5. Boys' pants from 12c to the finest made.

### Fears Foul Play.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

SEDALIA, Mo., May 15.—J. A. Wineburg of Michigan is in Sedalia, searching for his sister, Miss Mary Wineburg, whom he last heard from at Warrensburg in 1894. The young woman was a resident of North Manchester, Ind. He fears that she has met with foul play.

### Nicotine Neutralized.

NEW AND IMPROVED CIGARETTES.

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### MARRIAGE A SUCCESS.

Alleged Bigamist White Had No Difficulty in Securing Wives.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 15.—If all the charges made against him are true things are apt to go hard with William J. White, who was arrested at Buchanan, Mich. His alleged wife, who caused his arrest, was formerly Mrs. Nancy E. Tomlinson, a widow of Ansonia, Conn., who says she was married to him in 1890.

He left her at a hotel the next day and she has not seen him since, though she has spent \$5,000 to get him arrested.

Before marriage, White managed to get from her, in presents and by fraud, she claims, \$12,000. Then the widow began to look him up. She found him a record breaker in marrying, she says, and she kept on. She has spent money in Scotland and Australia, as well as in a half dozen Western States, in her pursuit of the man. She purposes to bring all the other supposed Mrs. Whites to Brooklyn, paying their expenses from Glasgow and Chicago and Ohio and from the proceeds of the sale of her property.

White's career in this country began in 1884, when he went to Brooklyn from Glasgow, where he had been selling furnace governors.

He was married in County Cavan, Ireland, fourteen years ago. It is asserted that he has a son 12 years old. His wife returned to her father's home in Ireland, it is claimed, where she now lives.

White went to Michigan in 1888, and sold gas registers. In Chicago he met Ida Parker and married her. It is charged that he took \$5,000 she had in bank.

He deserted her after a few days and in a small Ohio town met Rose Simpson, daughter of a physician. The date for the wedding was set, according to the story, and White announced that it must be postponed. He said he had lost his money by the failure of an Eastern bank. Dr. Simpson mortgaged his house and gave his daughter \$700, which White took. It is claimed, on the day of the wedding. Then he fled.

White took an ocean voyage, and when he returned from Scotland it is asserted that Agnes Armstrong Malcolm came with him as his bride and that they lived in furnished rooms on Union street and on Warfield street, Brooklyn.

White had three furnished rooms in different parts of the city at one time, and kept a trunk in each. One of these trunks was afterwards taken to Ansonia, and was opened by Widow Tomlinson. It was filled with paving stones and bricks, wrapped in newspapers to keep them from rattling suspiciously.

On a business trip in 1892 he met Mrs. Tomlinson at Ansonia, courted and married her. She says, before marriage he got \$2,500 from her to start a hotel at Ypsilanti, Mich. Later, it is claimed, White transferred the hotel to Rose Simpson, daughter of a physician, who turned it over to Frank McCaffrey, an old partner of White, and she and White went to Australia. A decoy letter brought him from Australia to Michigan and he was caught.

Mrs. Tomlinson, but she is perfectly willing to lose that, and all the money she has spent in tracing him, if she can only land him in Sing Sing.

### HARVEST FOR PREACHERS.

Edmunds' Law Compelling Marriages Under Certain Conditions.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 15.—The District authorities have suddenly decided to enforce the Edmunds law, which compels all couples living together as married people to at once legally enter into that state or suffer a penalty.

The colored preachers are reaping a rich harvest. Several of them are stationed within call of the police court at City Hall. The marriage license in force of the law is now averaging six licenses a day, is now averaging sixty-two. It is estimated that the enforcement of the law will affect 5,000 colored people.

Scores of the colored people who are violating the Edmunds law have been married before, and have neglected to secure divorces. They are now being practically forced to commit bigamy, which is a felony, in order to escape punishment for a misdemeanor.

### Five Generations Married There.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

BOSTON, Mass., May 15.—Miss Bessie C. Sampson and Wm. Homer Lane were married at Bedford today. The bride is of the fifth generation of a family who have been married in the same room.

### When Her Skirts Show

immaculate whiteness and proper gloss and stiffness, it's a proof that her laundress uses

KINGSFORD'S

Laundro

The perfect cold water starch.

It's a saver of time, work and money. If your grocer doesn't keep it, perhaps he has Kingsford's famous Oswego "Pure" or "Silver Gloss" Starch, or write us for a free sample of Laundro.

T. KINGSFORD & SON, OSWEGO, N. Y.

### CUT YOUR GRASS







# Special Sale of Children's Tan Shoes and Oxfords

- Children's Tan Buckle Sandal, size 5 to 8.....\$1.15  
Children's Tan Buckle Sandal, size 8½ to 10½.....\$1.35  
Misses' Tan Buckle Sandal, size 11 to 2.....\$1.50  
Children's Tan Oxford, size 5 to 8.....\$1.00  
Children's Tan Oxford, size 8½ to 10½.....\$1.25  
Misses' Tan Oxford, size 11 to 2.....\$1.35  
Children's Tan Button, spring heel, 5 to 8.....\$1.00  
Children's Tan Button, spring heel, 8½ to 10½.....\$1.25  
Misses' Tan Button, spring heel, 11 to 2.....\$1.50  
Children's Tan Lace, spring heel, 8½ to 10½.....\$1.25  
Misses' Tan Lace, spring heel, 11 to 2.....\$1.50

Of All the Latest Shades in Colors.  
**J. G. BRANDT SHOE CO.,** Cor. BROADWAY and LUCAS AV.  
Large Assortment Ladies' Bicycle Leggings.

## GUS MEEKS' LETTER.

Exonerates His Alleged Murderer, Bill Taylor, of Cattle Stealing.

SPECIAL TO THE POST-DISPATCH.  
LINCOLN, Mo., May 18.—A gentleman of this city has been written by Gus Meeks, who, with his wife and children, was murdered on May 11, 1894, near Downing. It may help clear Bill Taylor of the cattle-stealing case if he ever gets out of his present predicament. The letter is as follows:  
"Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 4, 1894.  
"Dear Sir:—I will answer your letter now as to what you hear about that Milan outfit. It is time. They promised to get me out of here in three months if I would plead guilty of that cattle-stealing and then told that Bill Taylor was into it; and I told them that I would do it. Three months ain't much, so I came on down here. I am going to work them Smart Alexes at Milan and give them away. Bill Taylor had nothing whatever to do with that cattle-stealing. Me and Abner Page done that stealing, and Bill Taylor knew nothing about it. The 'pen' is a hard place. I will not swear an innocent man into it. Bill has always treated me right, and won't help that outfit down him. I think any man would promise anything to get out of this place. No, my wife has the Myers check. I got it out of the office myself. They are mistaken when they say that onto Bill Taylor. He don't know anything about it. I can't never see that check. They are onto me. They have my letters. Yours truly, GUS MEEKS."  
The Myers check referred to is the one for \$440 that had been forged, and since Taylor's arrest, was found in his safe. The above letter was written while Meeks was in the penitentiary for the cattle-stealing that he refers to. The possession of the check did not stop to whom the letter was addressed. The style shows that Meeks was answering some question to which he evidently going to "do" somebody, from the way that he writes. Some of Meeks' letters will probably be introduced at Taylor's trial, in July, at Carrollton.

## TO AVOID COMPLICATIONS.

Revenue Cutter Perry's Mission to the Waters of Behring Sea.  
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 16.—The United States revenue cutter Commodore Perry hurried out of port last night on an important mission. She will make all haste possible in order to reach Behring Sea in time to prevent the fleet of cutters which are now heading for the sealing grounds from seizing any armed vessels, as is the present intention.  
Upon the fleets of the Perry may depend the warding off of serious complications with England. The latter Government has practically threatened that any interference with armed sealing vessels flying the British flag will meet with retaliation in the shape of claims for heavy damages. The Perry's sudden departure for the North is considered an indication that the Administration does not desire to invite any more trouble with the lion over the sealing question.



EVERYTHING SEEMS WRONG

To the dyspeptic. The world is upside down; the times are out of joint; he's ready to turn his back upon his best friend.

Now, the thing that oftentimes is wrong with dyspeptics is their choice of a remedy. There are drugs and medicines on the one hand—the Carlsbad Sprudel on the other. They can't both be right; there's too much difference in their methods and in their results.

Carlsbad—the waters of the Sprudel Spring at Carlsbad have been curing dyspeptics for hundreds of years. Curing them. No remedy in the world has been so thoroughly tried and proved in all digestive disorders, stomach troubles, lack of appetite or perverted nutrition. Add a little of the genuine Carlsbad Sprudel Salt to the first tumblerful of the water if you desire to increase its purgative action.

Insist upon the genuine article, which must have the signature of "EISNER & MENDELSON CO., Sole Agents, New York," on every bottle.

## SENT BACK TO EUROPE.

Deportation of Mosca, Who Fought Against Garibaldi.

SPECIAL TO THE POST-DISPATCH.  
NEW YORK, May 18.—Among the departed Italian immigrants who will be returned to Europe to-day is G. Ferra Mosca, who is a man with a history. During the invasion of Sicily in 1860 by Garibaldi and others were ordered to desert the patriots. When Garibaldi eventually defeated the Bourbon forces his troops turned their attention to freeing the country of the traitors. Finally they were captured and most of them were shot. Mosca, however, escaped death and was sentenced to twenty-five years imprisonment. After enduring dreadful hardship he was freed and was sent to France, where he worked at his trade of bootmaking. At length he wandered to England, a letter from his sister, who lives in Philadelphia, reached him. She asked him to come here and find work. He left Glasgow, and last week was landed at Ellis Island. Under the law the fact that he has been a convict made him ineligible for admission to the United States.

## KIDD'S TREASURE.

Long Island Being Dug Up in the Search for It.

SPECIAL TO THE POST-DISPATCH.  
NEW YORK, May 18.—The other day a hired man found a box of coins where an old hedge had grown, near Riverside, L. I. To-day Bernard Ford found a lot of old English coins (gold) and some silver pieces while ploughing. These incidents have set people wild in the hunt for Kidd's famous treasure. Every piece of land that has not been dug over for some time is being turned over now. Rocks are being pulled up and every crack and every nook and cranny is being hunted through for hidden gold.

## WALKED FOR 69 DAYS.

Geo. Peterson Tramped From New York to Minneapolis and Back.

SPECIAL TO THE POST-DISPATCH.  
NEW YORK, May 18.—George Peterson, 22 years old, has walked from Brooklyn, N. Y., to Minneapolis, Minn., and back. He finished his tramp of 2,280 miles on last Sunday night, in sixty-nine days, giving him the remarkable average of thirty-three miles a day. Peterson was several times nearly frozen to death and suffered the most through snowdrifts. He made the journey without any money. Peterson is now preparing to walk to San Francisco.

## AFTER SEVEN YEARS.

Children Stolen From Mrs. James Reel Were Restored to Her.

SPECIAL TO THE POST-DISPATCH.  
NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 16.—After a pursuit of seven years the Humane Society has tracked James Reel to Saybrook, and taken from him his two children, whom he had stolen from their mother when he separated from her seven years ago. They were past years of age, but the most complete extraction of animal life in these waters and he repeats the warning that unless such control is exercised over the present mode of killing the seals and walrus they will soon become utterly exterminated. These foreign sealmen do not only capture and kill seal in our waters, but also obtain from the Indians furs and other articles in exchange for goods upon which no duty is paid. A great proportion of these goods are of classes which are prohibited by our laws from being introduced among the Indians. Attention is also called to the fact that the American whaling fleet is annually entering the Arctic ocean from Behring Sea and carrying on the same destructive method of capture and the same illegal traffic with the Eskimos. This has been going on to a much increased extent of late owing to the discovery of the important Arctic harbor of Herschel Island about 100 miles west of one of the mouths of the Mackenzie river, where numbers of these whaling vessels pass the winter.

## Extirminating Seal and Walrus.

OTTAWA, Ont., May 16.—Lieut. Gov. Schmitt of Manitoba, reports to the Department of the Interior that two whaling ships wintered at Marble Island in Hudson's Bay had pursued the same destructive methods for the past year, and caused the most complete extraction of animal life in these waters and he repeats the warning that unless such control is exercised over the present mode of killing the seals and walrus they will soon become utterly exterminated. These foreign sealmen do not only capture and kill seal in our waters, but also obtain from the Indians furs and other articles in exchange for goods upon which no duty is paid. A great proportion of these goods are of classes which are prohibited by our laws from being introduced among the Indians. Attention is also called to the fact that the American whaling fleet is annually entering the Arctic ocean from Behring Sea and carrying on the same destructive method of capture and the same illegal traffic with the Eskimos. This has been going on to a much increased extent of late owing to the discovery of the important Arctic harbor of Herschel Island about 100 miles west of one of the mouths of the Mackenzie river, where numbers of these whaling vessels pass the winter.

## Canadian Immigrants.

OTTAWA, Ont., May 16.—The report of Superintendent of Immigration Burgess has been laid before the House of Commons today. It shows the total immigration to Canada last year to have been 27,211 as against 34,477 in 1893. Of these 800 came from the United States as against 318 in 1893. About one-third of the latter are Canadians who had settled in the Western States.

## Lanyon Zinc Co. Restores Wages.

NEVADA, Mo., May 16.—The standard wages were restored to-day by the Lanyon Zinc Co. to their employees. It is the first time in several years that the company has been able to advance wages in the district. The employees are satisfied and are rejoicing over the success of their appeal for restoration.

# Segeant's Millinery

Will be the spice of our attractive sale to-morrow. Thousands of Remnants of New and Desirable Merchandise can be found here to-morrow—and here only—at prices unapproachable by any other house.

## Muslin Undergarments

- A lot of Muslin Night Gowns, trimmed in embroidery and made with extra full sleeve; worth 75c; Opposition Sale price, 49c  
Three styles of beautiful Gowns, trimmed in fine embroidery and lace, made with new full sleeves, extra wide; worth \$1.25; Opposition Sale Price, 88c  
A lot of good Muslin Drawers, trimmed in embroidery and tucked above; worth 50c; Opposition Sale price, 39c

## Millinery.

- Our delightful Millinery Parlors, famed for the excellence, style and low prices of the headwear there constructed, adds to this fame by making unexampled price reductions for Friday.  
500 Beautifully Trimmed Hats, worth \$7.50, Opposition Sale price \$3.75  
375 Stylishly Trimmed Hats, worth \$5.00, Opposition Sale Price \$1.95  
All of our Untrimmed Hats, worth \$2.00 and \$2.50, Opposition Sale price 95c  
All Sailors, Walking Hats, Leghorns, etc., reduced to Opposition Sale Prices  
A lot of fine French Roses, Montures, etc., worth \$1.00 to \$1.75, Opposition Sale Price 25c

## Ladies' Knit Underwear.

- 300 dozen Ladies' Swiss ribbed Vests, in three different styles; regular price 35c and 40c; Opposition Sale price, 19c

## Boys' Waists.

- A small lot of Boys' fine Blouse Waists; worth 50c; Opposition Sale price, 21c

## Boys' Underwear.

- 80 dozen Boys' Fine Blubber ribbed Shirts and Drawers; worth 25c; Opposition Sale price, 21c

## Embroideries.

- 2000 yards of Embroidery, worth 2c; Opposition Sale price, 10c  
A large quantity of Remnants at half price.

## Drug Sundries

- when we offer the best American White Castile Soap—that usually sells for 35c—at 21c  
Oakley's fine perfume Toilet Soap—Elder Flower, Turkish Bath, Scotch Quinine, Clove, Honeysuckle, Glycerine, etc.; regular price, 15c each; Opposition Sale price, 5c  
Put all these necessary articles on your dressing table; Pozzoni's Complexion Powder, worth 35c; Opposition Sale price, 28c  
Park & Tilford's finest Bay Rum—1-qt. bottles—worth 85c; Opposition Sale price, 59c  
SPECIAL—Anchor Brand Toilet Paper, wire hook—all you want. Opposition Sale Price, 3c

## Men's Shirts.

- A lot of Men's fine Percal Shirts, 2 collars, 1 pair of cuffs, regular \$1.25 goods; Opposition Sale price, 79c  
A lot of Men's fine Neglige Shirts, collar and cuffs attached; worth \$1; Opposition Sale price, 57c

## White Goods Dept.

- Plaid, Striped and other desirable Sheer White Goods, worth 12c, Opposition Sale Price 8c  
Main Floor.

## Linen Dept.

- Remnants of Bleaches, Cream and Turkey Red Damasks, Crashes, Toweling, White Goods and odds and ends of all sorts at Opposition Sale Prices.  
20x40 Hemstitched Huck Towels, 20c quality; Opposition Sale price 15c  
Bale of 18-inch All-Linen Crash with double border, 10c quality; Opposition Sale price 6c  
Full size Marcelline Pattern Crochet Quilts, the \$1.00 quality; Opposition Sale price 79c

## Lining Dept.

- New, quality, up-to-date Dress Linings at prices away out of the common.  
All-Linen Grass Cloth, all colors, worth 12c; Opposition Sale price 9c  
Imitation Hair Cloth, 27 inches wide, worth 12c; Opposition Sale price 8c

## Laces

- 50 pieces Butter Colored Insertion; worth 10c; Opposition Sale price, 5c  
100 pieces Mauresque Lace, 15 inches wide; worth 50c; Opposition Sale price, 20c  
2000 yards Oriental Lace; worth 12c; Opposition Sale price, 6c  
50 dozen Vandyke Collarettes; worth 50c; Opposition Sale price, 25c

# "Variety is the Spice of Life."

## Our Remnants

Will be the spice of our attractive sale to-morrow. Thousands of Remnants of New and Desirable Merchandise can be found here to-morrow—and here only—at prices unapproachable by any other house.

## Skirts. Suits.

- Ready to wear—which means all you'd hope for in a Dress and a good deal more than you've had in ready-made garments before.  
190 Duck Suits, all colors, all sizes, Eton and Blazer styles, actual price \$3.75, Opposition Sale price \$1.98  
200 Tailor-Made Suits, consisting of a nobby short jacket, with rounded corners and a perfect-setting full skirt, regular price \$7.50, Opposition Sale price \$3.95  
180 Stylish Traveling Suits with a full skirt and stylish reefer jacket made of all-wool chevrot, worth \$10.00, Opposition Sale Price \$4.98  
100 Storm Serge Skirts, four yards wide, in black only, worth \$3.75, Opposition Sale price \$1.95  
160 Imported Storm Serge Skirts, lined throughout and interlined with haircloth, full Godet back, in navy and black, worth \$7.50, Opposition Sale price \$3.75

## Gloves.

- The cleverest women buy their gloves at our already popular department. To-morrow—Friday—we will fit a pair of extra fine kid gloves on your hands, some made in France—some in Germany, but all excellent qualities, 5 hook or large pearl buttons, all colors as well as black—guaranteed in every respect. Opposition Sale price, 93c  
The popular Biarritz glove, black and colors, \$1.00 quality, Opposition Sale price, 63c

## Wash Fabrics.

- Main Floor.  
68 pieces Woven Striped Batiste; light grounds, small and medium stripes, in blue, pink, yellow and green; regular price 12c; Opposition Sale price, 8c  
40 pieces Printed Pique, in dots, figures and stripes; worth 20c; Opposition Sale price, 13c  
27 pieces Printed Dimities, small and medium figures; regular 10c goods; Opposition Sale price, 6c

## Parasols.

- Our Parasol Dept.  
Fine Satin Striped Parasols, some with a ruffle and some without, in such choice colors as navy and red. You have been asked \$2.50 for Parasols of like quality. We have cut this figure exactly in two, and our Opposition Sale price is \$1.25  
Every child can carry a Parasol when we have 2000 of them and our Opposition Sale price is 14c

## Handkerchiefs.

- In such a cyclone of selling of course some get muddled and tossed. Take them Friday at Sale Price  
75 dozen Ladies' Fancy Silk Handkerchiefs, in cream and solid colors, worth 50c, Opposition Sale price 19c  
97 dozen extra good quality Girls' Silk Initial Handkerchiefs, 15½-inch hem, with large initial, worth 65c; Opposition Sale price 48c  
1 lot of Gents' Colored Bordered Handkerchiefs, worth 12c; Opposition Sale price 3 for 25c

## Hosiery.

- 200 dozen Children's Fast Black English Ribbed Hose, double knee, heel and toe; these are regular 12c goods. Opposition Sale Price, 6c

## Suspenders.

- A lot of Men's Elastic Web Suspenders, well made, with mohair ends and gilt buckle, worth 35c; Opposition Sale price, 19c

## Corsets.

- 50 dozen extra long summer Corsets, well filled with bone and good fitting; worth 65c; Opposition Sale price, 39c

## IRON AND STEEL.

Advance in Wages Tends to Increase Prices at the Mills.

NEW YORK, May 18.—The Iron Age to-day says: The general advance in blast furnace wages in the principal Western States puts all chance of lower Bessemer pig iron at rest. The raising of wages at a number of steel works and rolling mills forebodes a general movement in that direction throughout the whole territory north of the Ohio River and the Alleghenies, and may affect the Eastern States also. The steel market has been quiet excited, advancing to \$18.50 and \$18.75 Pittsburgh under moderate sales, but with lively inquiry. Sheet bars, which some time since commanded an advance of \$1 a ton over billets, are so scarce that an advance of \$1.50 is being asked. In wire rods, which are quoted at \$21 at Pittsburgh, the most interesting event is the closing of the conversion contracts, \$5,000 to 4,000 tons, between a Chicago steel mill and a Cleveland rod mill.  
Heavy sales of steel, aggregating 7,500,000 tons, are reported from Pittsburgh, and reflect the heavier demand for wrought pipe. There is continued demand in bars and sheets in the West and a fair movement in plates and structural material. In finished iron and steel generally the situation is somewhat different on the Atlantic seaboard. A little more money is obtained for small lots for prompt delivery, but for round lots there has really been no advance as yet. Local foundry iron in Chicago and in the East are selling quite well, and on the seaboard a slight advance is being obtained in some instances, with more hesitation to contract for the future.  
In cast iron pipe the only indication of consequence has been the purchase of 5,000 tons by Syracuse. There is quite a lively demand for old iron—sells about 10c for home use and for export. The metal markets have been quiet excited. Copper has been stimulated by a rumor of an agreement to limit American exports to \$500,000 tons per annum. If such an arrangement exists it does not include important interests. Really the advance is due to a heavy movement in lead in all the primary markets, and prices have been sharply advanced with sellers at the close holding off. Labor troubles in Kansas have advanced prices to \$2.50.

## Mineral Fields of Alaska.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—An effort to obtain information regarding undeveloped mineral fields of Alaska will be made by a party of Government experts who have been detailed to make a practical study of the economic geology of the territory. The party, which consists of Prof. George F. Becker, Prof. Wm. H. Dall and Geologist Furrington of the United States Geological Survey, left to-day for Tacoma, Wash., whence they will proceed to the field of investigation in a Government boat. Special attention will be paid to the gold fields in the neighborhood of Coeur d'Alene, and the coal fields about Coeur d'Alene. The three officials will remain in the field until late in the fall.

## JACKSONVILLE, ILL., May 18.—P. Brown, a cigar-maker, went into James Sherry's saloon last night and shot him. Sherry is badly wounded.

## A CERTAIN CURE FOR PILES.

A New Preparation, Safe, Painless, Convenient and Lasting Cure for This Troublesome Disease.  
We do not intend to endorse any except articles of real merit. We therefore take pleasure in calling attention to a new pile cure which has been remarkably successful in curing every form of itching, bleeding or protruding piles. The remedy is known as the Pyramid Pile Cure and is recommended by the best medical authorities on account of its absolute safety, ease of application and instant relief from pain.  
The Pyramid Pile Cure contains no opium or other poison and does not interfere with daily occupation while using. People who believed nothing but a surgical operation would cure them have been astonished at the results from a single 50 cent package of the Pyramid.  
A. G. Mary C. Tyler of Heppner, Ore., writes: "One package of Pyramid Pile Cure entirely cured me of piles from which I have suffered for years, and I have never had the slightest return of them since."  
Mr. E. O'Brien, Rock Bluffs, Neb., says: "The package of Pyramid Pile Cure entirely removed every trace of itching piles. I cannot thank you enough for it."  
The Pyramid Pile Cure is sold by all druggists at 50 cents and \$1 per package.  
Treatise on cause and cure of piles mailed free by addressing Pyramid Co., Albion, Mich.

## LEGAL.

SHERIFF'S SALE—By virtue and authority of a general and special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the City of St. Louis, Missouri, returnable to the June term, 1895, of said court, do hereby give notice that I, the undersigned, am directed by said court to sell at public auction, to-wit: In the City of St. Louis, Missouri, certain lots in city block 404 of the city of St. Louis, Missouri, fronting 32 feet 2½ inches on the north line of Chestnut street by a depth of 72 feet 6½ inches to an alley 16 feet wide, bounded west by a line 14½ feet 3 inches east of 17th street, being the same property conveyed to Alfred B. 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This evening at 7 o'clock Miss Meyer daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

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The bride will be attended by her bridesmaids, Miss Elsie Meyer, as maid of honor, and Miss Mary Meyer, as one of the bridesmaids, by her brother, Mr. Meyer, as best man. The bride will

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